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FM AMEMBASSY MOSCOW
TO SECSTATE WASHDC NIACT IMMEDIATE 0802
AMEMBASSY TOKYO NIACT IMMEDIATE
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TAGS: EAIR
SUBJECT: MISSING SOUTH KOREAN AIRLINER

REF: (A) MOSCOW 8453, (B) STATE 101668 (ALL NOTAL)

1. JAPANESE EMBASSY ADVISED AT 0730 ZULU THAT IT HAS
BEEN UNABLE TO OBTAIN ANY INFORMATION AS YET FROM SOVIETS
ON MISSING KOREAN AIRPLANE AND SOLICITED OUR ASSISTANCE
IN VIEW OF JAPANESE PASSENGERS ON BOARD.

2. JAPANESE EMBASSY ALSO ADVISED OF REPORT FROM JAPANESE
MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AT ABOUT 0235 ZULU APPARENTLY
BASED ON SOURCE IN OFFICE OF KOREAN AIRLINES IN TOKYO .
THAT PLANE WAS IN USSR AND PASSENGERS AND CREW ARE "ALL
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RIGHT." IT IS DISTURBED, HOWEVER, THAT THERE IS NO SOVIET
CONFIRMATION OF THIS.

3. WE STILL HAVE NO INFORMATION FROM SOVIETS. CAN
DEPARTMENT OR EMBASSY TOKYO CONFIRM ACCURACY OF REPORT
THAT PLANE DEFINITELY IN USSR AND PASSENGERS AND CREW
"ALL RIGHT?"

4. EMBASSY/DAO HAS CONTACTED SOVIET MOD ON PLANE, SO FAR
WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

5. A.P. IS CARRYING A REPORT SAYING THAT AMEMBASSY SEOUL
HAS GIVEN ASSURANCES TO KOREAN AIR LINE ON SAFETY OF

PASSENGERS AND CREW. PLEASE ADVISE. TOON

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